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Dear Sir:

- 1) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98 applicant encloses a Form PTO-1449, and a copy and an English translation of the International Search Report issued on January 2, 2006 in the corresponding PCT International Application. Copies of references AA to AD are not (and need not be) enclosed, because they have been transmitted to the USPTO by the International Searching Authority in the International processing of this PCT application.
- 2) This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed simultaneously with the above identified new patent application.

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- 3) References AA to AC are in English. References AD is accompanied by an English Abstract.

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- 4) Moreover, the enclosed Search Report indicates the degree of relevance of references AA to AD by category ("A" means technological background). Thereby a concise explanation of the relevance has been provided (see MPEP §609).

- 5) The Examiner is requested to consider all references of record, return an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and ensure that all references of record are printed on any patent issuing from this application.

Respectfully submitted,
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Form PTO-1449
Eng. Trans. and copy of ISR
1 English Abstract

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